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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 13A, 13B, BC, 14 + 15

Part B for May 1915

SUBJECT

Protest of the residents of Bangalore & Cotton Station against the opening of Liquor Bars, nautch by dancing girls & gambling tables in Shoot Exhibition

G.O. No 8792-842 dt. 12.5.15

Prohibits the opening of Liquor Bars, gambling Tables and nautch by dancing girls at the Industrial and other exhibitions in the State

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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NOTES

File No 98-14

FILE HEADING

Holding Jan Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition

From

The Private Secretary to H H the Maharaja of Mysore

No 5294 Dated 30/4 - 3/4 } 1915 - Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Forwards petition, for disposal, from the Residents of Bangalore city and of the civil and military Station protesting against the opening of Liquor Bars, manned by dancing girls and gambling tables

	NOTES AND ORDERS
13 B	From the P.S. Secy to H H The Maharaja of Mys No 5295 d. 30/4 3/4 1915
13	Forwards Petn from the Presdt of Women's Christian Temperance Union in India Bangalore protesting

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	against the introduction of Liquor Bars manned by dancing girls and gambling tables.
13C	From the P de Secy to H H the Maharaja of Mysore -
	No 5296 dt. 30/4 3/4 1915
	Forwards petition from the residents of Bangalore city & Cantt Bangalore protesting against the opening of Liquor Bars &c in Public exhibitions

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Submitted

The three items against which Objections have been raised by the Memorialists in the Programme of Events for the Bangalore City Industrial Exhibition are:-

(1) Gambling Stalls

(2) Liquor Bars

*(3) Kolatam & Singing by women

When sanctioning the holding of the Exhibition in October 1914 Govt directed that the "Crown & Anchor Stall may be eliminated from the Programme

Para 2 of GO No 3199-238 dated 22 10 14 Flag N

As regards item 2 the Distt Magistrate Bangalore thought it inexpedient to issue a license for liquor bars but the Presidency Municipal Council considered that there can be no objection to allow the Bar as only European liquors will be sold which ordinary Visitors to the Exhibition are not likely to Consume

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As regards item 3 Kolatam & singing by women, the President has said that Public Morality will not be jeopardised by this form of recreation when it is regulated by the members of the

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For disposal at a meeting

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Council Matter

SUBJECT

Protest of certain inhabitants of the Bangalore City and of the Civil & Military Station, against the introduction of Liquor Bars, Dancing girls, and Gaming tables into the Industrial Exhibition organised by the Bangalore City Municipality

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

By Order,

10th April 1915

By *Secretary to Government*

Extraordinary Member of Council

First Member of Council

Second Member of Council

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~~The matter was considered informally in~~ Council on 14th April 1915 who were of opinion that a reply may be sent somewhat to the following effect -

" Government are in sympathy with the sentiments expressed by the memorialists regarding the undesirability of opening liquor bars, ~~etc.~~, in connection with Industrial Exhibitions and regret that they could not take action on their protest as it was received after arrangements had been completed by the authorities of the Municipal Exhibition and as interference of Government at that stage would have involved them in financial loss The opening of liquor bars on such occasions will be ~~avoided~~ discouraged as far as possible in future "

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of the Council that not only the Representatives of the three Non-Muhammadan Communities should also be chosen by their respective Communities but the Resolution as drafted does not quite exactly represent his opinion. The expression 'as far as possible' weakens the spirit of the Resolution & should I think be deleted. Reference should also be made to the other two items also

Wells
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Dewan 20/4

A revised draft is submitted bearing regard to the fact that the rules now proposed will completely satisfy the communities no explanation seems to be necessary as to why these items were not included from the Council Resolution they already been explained by the Dewan

Dy 27/4/14

2nd Member
Dewan

Yes no explanation is necessary

Wells
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Dewan 20/4

Dy
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NOTE—Contn sheet

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Submitted to His Highness

Drafts for approval

I submit herewith for His Highness's perusal, draft of a reply proposed to be sent to the memorialists about their protest against the inclusion of liquor bars, dancing girls & gambling tables in the programme of entertainments at the exhibition recently held at Bangalore

2 The draft has been drawn up on lines decided upon after informal discussion in Council

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

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Subject

Protest of certain inhabitants of the Bangalore City and of the Civil -- and Military Station against the inclusion of liquor bars etc in the programm of entertainments at the exhibition recently held at Bangalore.

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Order

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His High[illegible] Col. Sir Sri Krishnaraja Wadiyar

BAHADUR, G C S I,

MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

The memorial of residents of Bangalore City and of the Civil and Military Station humbly sheweth —

That in connection with the Industrial Exhibition to be held in the Cubbon Park from the 29th March to 2nd April, under the auspices of the Bangalore City Municipality, it is proposed to introduce Liquor Bars, nautch by dancing-girls, and Gambling Tables Against this obnoxious proposal a memorial signed by representatives of all classes and communities has already been submitted to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore As no reply has yet been received from the Deputy Commissioner, your humble and respectful memorialists appeal to your Highness to forbid the Municipality to add the objectionable features above referred to to the Industrial Exhibition, for the following among other reasons —

1 The use of intoxicating Liquor as a beverage is prohibited both among Hindus and Mahomadans by their Sacred Scriptures

2 The drink habit is destructive of happiness, physically injurious, and detrimental to the moral and material welfare of individuals and nations It is at the same time the most potent and fruitful source of crime, poverty and misery in every land

3 The highest authorities in the Army and the Navy deprecate the use of Liquor in their respective services and very strongly promote and encourage abstinence

4 The most eminent medical authorities also declare that the use of alcohol is not only unnecessary, but most detrimental to the health and well-being of the human system even when used in small quantities

5 The two other obnoxious features proposed to be introduced into the Exhibition need hardly be commented on As sources of demoralisation they very properly receive the reprobation of all decent, clean-minded people, interested in the well-being of the present and the coming generation

6 Schools and Educational bodies which had promised co-operation in making the Educational Exhibition a success have withdrawn their promise of co-operation because of the proposed introduction of elements that are subversive of Education and Morality

7 As the Exhibition will last through the Holy Passion Week, Christians of all denominations will feel the presence of the abovesaid objectionable elements doubly obnoxious at a time of special sacredness and solemnity

8 That the toleration and encouragement of these practices will be a blot on the fair name of Mysore and the enlightened and progressive Government of your Highness who is widely recognised as a leader in all that makes for the moral, material and spiritual advancement of the people

9 In view of the above considerations we humbly approach your Highness with our earnest appeal at your Highness will be graciously pleased to prohibit the Bangalore City Municipality from including the three elements above referred to in the coming Industrial Exhibition and in all similar

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No 5295

OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY TO
H H THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,

DATED, Mysore 30th March 1915
6 April

Petition dated 25th March 1915 from the President of Women's Christian Temperance Union of India, Bangalore, is forwarded, with compliments, to the Dewan of Mysore, Bangalore, for favour of disposal.

By Order,

For Private Secretary

No. 980 of 14-15.

Sanctioning for a note of a draft reply within 10 days. The papers may also be discussed at the next meeting of Council

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Bangalore, March 25th, 1915

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To His Highness

Sir Sri Krishnaraja Wodiyar, G C S I ,

Maharajah of Mysore

May it please Your Highness,

On behalf of the Bangalore Auxiliary of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of India, an organization which has for its objects the promotion of temperance, moral purity and good citizenship among all races, we the undersigned respectfully approach Your Highness with our earnest appeal that you will be graciously pleased to prohibit the Bangalore Municipality from introducing into the forthcoming Industrial Exhibition in this station the highly objectionable features of a Liquor Bar, Dancing Girls and Gambling Tables We make this appeal to Your Highness on the following grounds -

1 In this progressive and practical age, when in schools and through the medium of scientific magazines and current literature our young people are being warned against the injurious effects of strong drink and are being taught physiologically the destructive nature of alcohol, we humbly submit that it is most inexpedient to

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TO

His Highness

Col. Sir Sri Krishnaraja Wadiyar,

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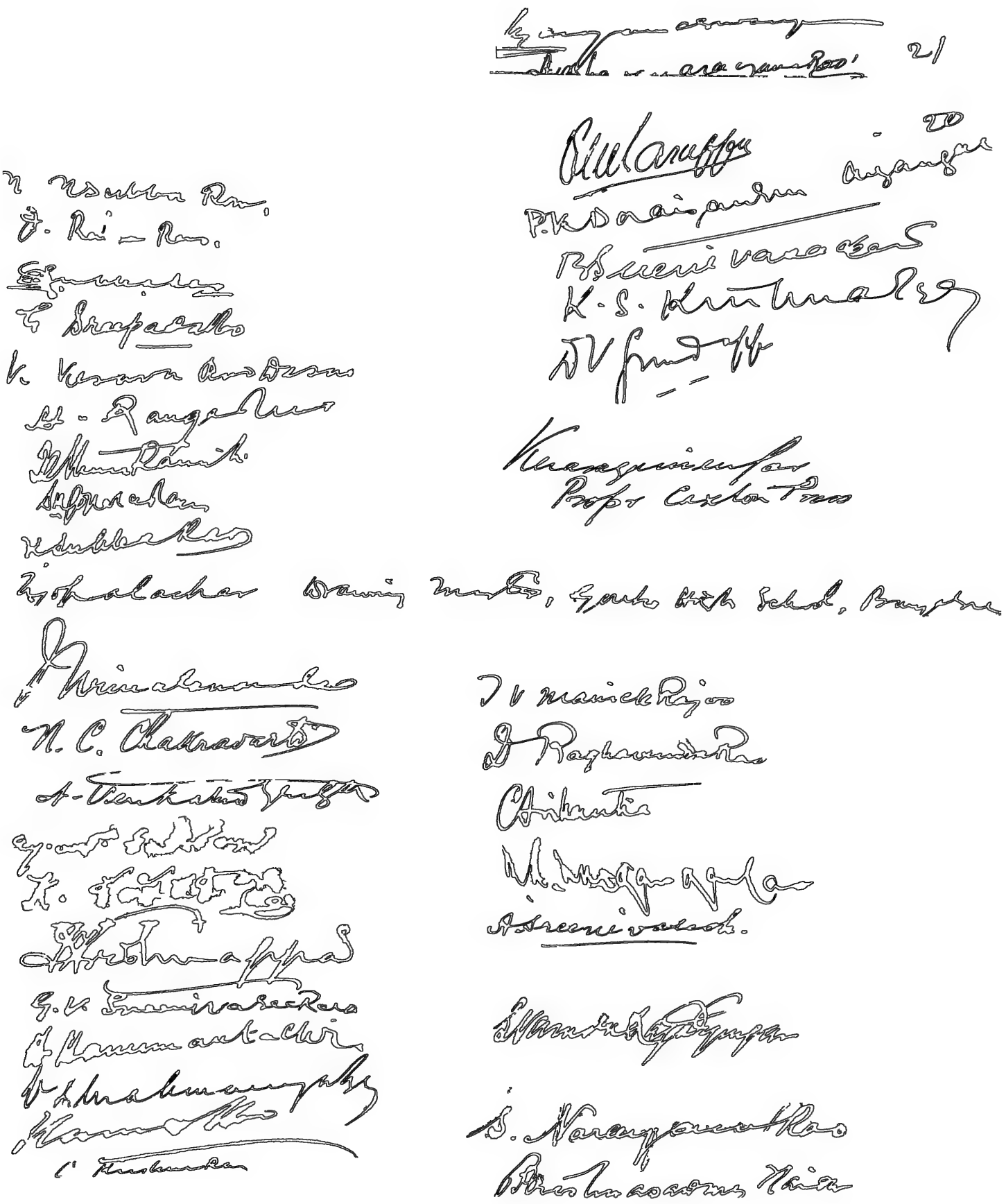

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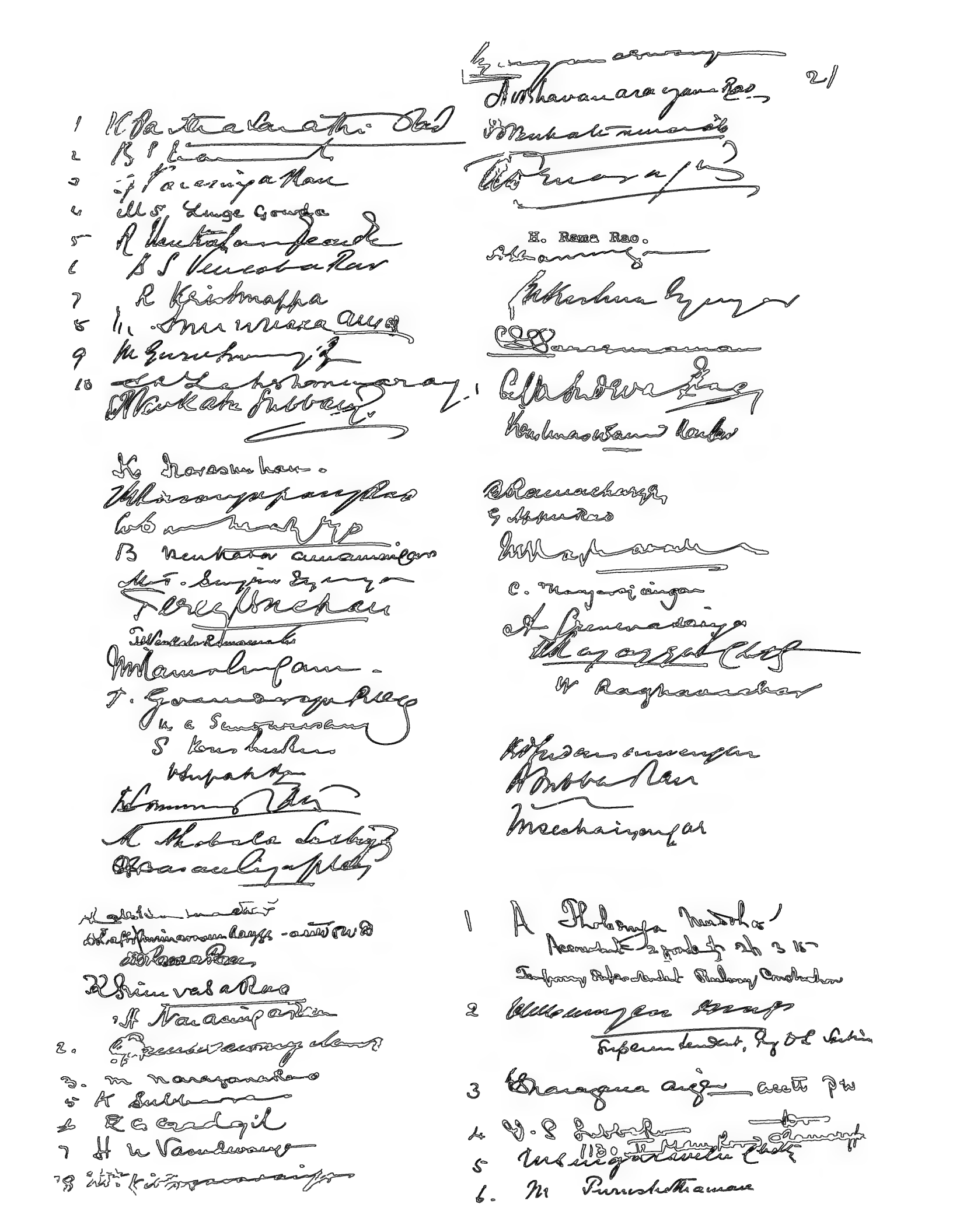

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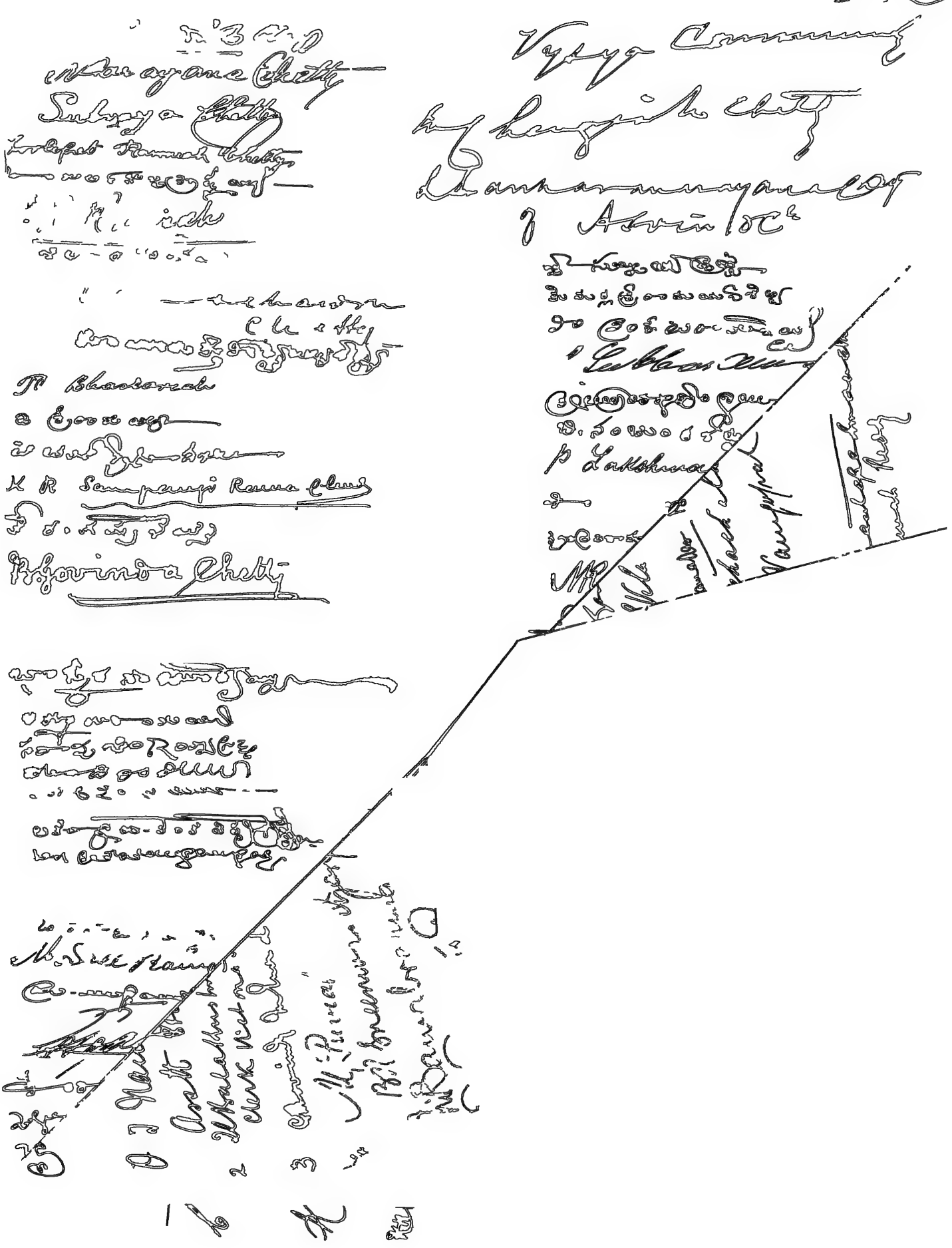

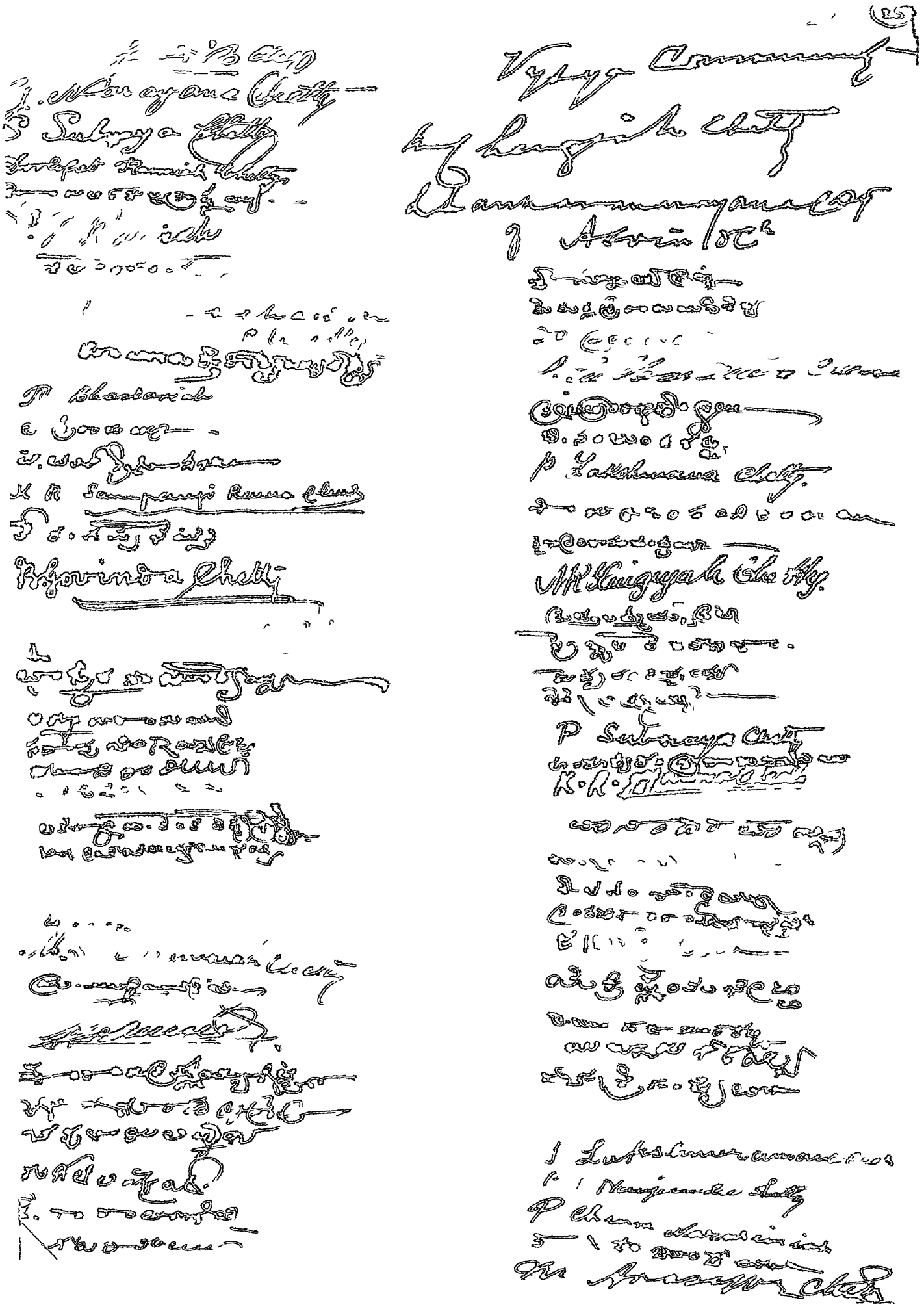

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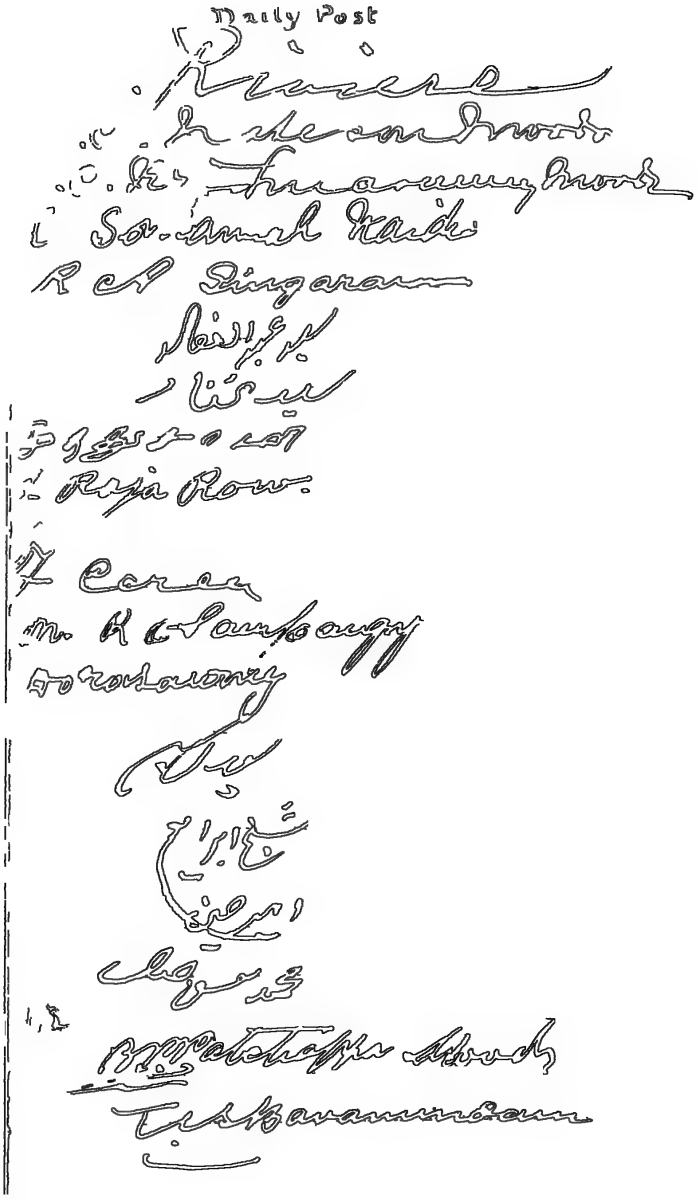

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

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Read -

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ORDER THEREON NO 4792-842 and 98147

DATED, BANGALORE, 12-5- ~~APRIL~~ 1915

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Government agree with the substance of the representation made in the memorials read above

2 Presidents of District Boards and Municipalities and other public functionaries are requested to exclude these forms of entertainment from the programmes of such important public functions ~~in future~~ organized by them in future

22/4/15 RC

Offg Secretary to Government
Gen & Rev Depart

To

The Presidents of District Boards and Municipalities

The Heads of Departments

This order lays down a certain principle may it be printed & circulated as a Standing order No.

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To

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8 Lal Bagh Road, Bangalore.

2. Mrs R. J. Robinson,
Acting President,
Bangalore Auxiliary Women's
Christian T. N. in India.

3. M. Chengiah Chetty, Esqr ,
Retired Deputy Commissioner
Chamarajpet, Bangalore

Sir,
Madam,

In reply to your memorial to His Highness the Maharaja praying that the Bangalore City Municipal Council may be prohibited from introducing into their Exhibition (now over) certain objectionable features, I am directed to forward for your information a copy of the order issued by the Government of H H the Maharaja, directing their exclusion from all future Exhibitions and Shows in the State

I have the honour etc

20/4

Secretary

MRN.

No 8792-842—Ml 98-14-14, dated 12th May 1915

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS

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The Deputy Commissioners of Districts

Exd—c r

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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